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Applicant: ERICH HORN ET AL.)
Serial No. 10/077,221) Group Art Unit: 2878
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For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR PERFORMING A)
TEST FOR ACCEPTABILITY OF BANK NOTES)
BY AUTOMATIC VENDING MACHINES)

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Dear Sirs:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 13, 2004, Applicant requests reconsideration in the view of this Submission which includes amendment and remarks for entry in the above-identified application. This Submission is being filed along with a Request for Continued Examination.

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